



MARLINTONIAN



# MARLINTON HIGH SCHOOL



Finishing or beginning, 1955-56 remains a memorable year for us, the students of Marlinton High School. The 1956 Marlintonian is proud to present this record of those events which we will want to remember...

PRESENTED BY THE SENIOR CLASS OF  
MAY 1956

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# *This Is The Year 1955-1956*

THIS YEAR . . . A LOT LIKE ANY OTHER YEAR . . . BUT YET DIFFERENT . . .

IT STARTED AS USUAL . . . REGISTRATION . . . NEW FACES . . .

NEW THRILLS . . . INITIATION . . . CLASS ORGANIZATION . . .

A CONTINUOUS WHIRL . . .



WE SHALL ALWAYS REMEMBER:

CLASSES. .  
ATHLETICS...  
FRIENDS. .  
TEACHERS. .  
FINALS. .  
ORGANIZATIONS. .  
ACTIVITIES. .  
FUN. .  
SCHOOL LIFE. .  
RELIGIOUS LIFE. .  
SPRING FEVER. .  
GRADUATION. .

BUT MOST OF ALL WE REMEMBER OUR HIGH SCHOOL DAYS



# FOREWORD

As the reality of this school year fades into memories, our experiences and acquaintances will grow dim.

Thus the purpose of our theme is to keep ever anew in our minds the precious moments of our high school life.

We realize all too well that life is a serious business, but now we are going to abandon all care, and store between the course of this book these treasured memories of our early youth:

Memories from the prologue of the seventh grade to the grand finale of the seniors at graduation, these are our "Moments to Remember".

All this we do in a gay and happy mood so that in the years to come you may glance through this annual and close it softly with a gleam in your eye, a smile on your lips, and a song in your heart.

## "MOMENTS TO REMEMBER"

The New Years Eve, we did the town, the day we tore the goal-post down, we will have these

MOMENTS TO REMEMBER The quiet walk; The noisy fun, the ball-room prize,

we almost won We will have these MOMENTS TO REMEMBER.

Tho' summer turns to win-ter and the pre-sent dis-ap-pears The

laugh-ter we were glad to share will e-cho thru the years When other nights and

oth-er days may find us gone our separate ways, We will have these MO-MENTS TO RE

MEM-BER



# *We Fondly Dedicate To*

Mr. H.A. Yeager  
OUR 1956 MARLINTONIAN

For his guiding influence on our school and our lives;  
his willingness to help as adviser and friend;  
his faithful support of faculty and student activities; and  
his kindly character and friendly manner in and outside the school.



## PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

To you, class of 1956, I wish to express my appreciation for the fine job you have done, in your future endeavors think of some of the lessons we have tried to teach you, outside books.

I wish you the best of success and hope that you all obtain the goals you have set up for yourselves.

Keep up the good fight.

H. A. Yeager



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"We shall always remember his friendliness."



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Potomac State



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Middlebury College

GLENNA MOSES  
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West Virginia University  
Duke University



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MADGE SHIFFLER  
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Concord



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Duke University  
Concord College  
Transylvania University

MARY SKAGGS  
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Glenville State College  
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A. B., M. A.  
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Marshall

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B. S.  
Physical Education  
Social Studies  
West Virginia University



## OFFICE STAFF

Left to Right---Oreana Scott---Creola Jackson---Carolyn Curry---Nancy Gay---Carolyn Underwood---Mr. Yeager---Mary Jane VanDevender.

We remember: Running errands, answering the phone, guarding the closed door when our boss decides chastizing is in order, receiving visitors; but most of all the happy association with our principal.



WE REMEMBER



our senior year  
the best of all



Editor - - - Sterle McElwee

Assistant Editor - - - Oreana Scott



Carolyn Curry



Sterl McElwee



Nancy Gay

## MARLINTONIAN STAFF

Editor-in-Chief . . . . . Sterl McElwee

Assistant Editor . . . . . Oreana Scott

Layout Editor . . . . . Norval Waugh

Literary Editors . . . . . Barbara Burr

Neva Davis

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Carolyn Curry

Typists . . . . . Mary VanDevender

Helen Moore

Advisor . . . . . Mrs. Rosemary Coyner



Barbara Burr



Neva Davis



Mary VanDevender



Helen Moore



Norval Waugh



Oreana Scott



Mrs. Coyner





## SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS

Vice President--Sterle McElwee---Treasurer--Barbara Burr  
President--Eugene Hannah---Secretary--Norval Waugh



## SENIORS

### CORA AULDRIDGE

Basketball 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. 4; Chorus 4; National Thespians 3; Junior Play 3; Copperhead Staff 3; 4-H 4.

### CARL BOGGS

**BARBARA BURR**  
Basketball 4; F. H. A. 3, 4; Chorus 3; Marlintonian 4; Copperhead Staff 3, 4; National Honor Society 3, 4; Class Treasurer 4.

**MILDRED BURR**  
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3.



**ANNA LEE CARPENTER**  
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; National Thespians 3; Copperhead Staff 4; 4-H 1, 2; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4.

**LUCY COMBS**  
F. H. A. 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3; Football Attendant 4.

**CAROLYN CURRY**  
4-H 1, 2, 3; A. D. D.'s 2, 3, 4; National Honor Society 3, 4; Marlintonian Staff 4; Copperhead Staff 4; Latin Club 2, 3; M. H. S. Cheerleader 2, 3; Junior Play 3; Senior Play 4; Class Cheerleader 2, 4; Chorus 1, 2; Junior Guide 3; Business Manager of Magazine Campaign 4.

**DON CUTLIP**  
Copperhead Staff 4.



# SENIORS

NEVA LEE DAVIS

A. D. D. 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. 3, 4; National Honor Society 3, 4; National Thespians 3; Marlintonian Staff 4; Junior Play, Senior Play; Basketball Attendant 3.

ALFRED DEAN



WANDA DEFIBAUGH

F. H. A. 1, 2, 3; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1; Class Cheerleader 2, 3, 4; Varsity Cheerleader 3; Copperhead Staff; National Thespians 4.

FRANCES DULANEY

F. H. A. 1, 2.

JUNE DULANEY

HARRY DUMIRE

National Thespians.



PHYLLIS DUNBRACK

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 2, 3; F. H. A. 2, 3, 4; Band 3, 4; Class Cheerleader 4; Junior Play 3; 4-H 1, 2, 3, 4.

NANCY GAY

4-H 1, 2, 3, 4; A. D. D.'s 3, 4; National Honor Society 3, 4; Copperhead Staff 4; Marlintonian Staff 4; Latin Club 2, 3; Class Vice President 1; Junior Play; Senior Play; Band 3, 4; Rhododendron Girls State 3; F. H. A. 4.





## SENIORS

GENE GIBSON

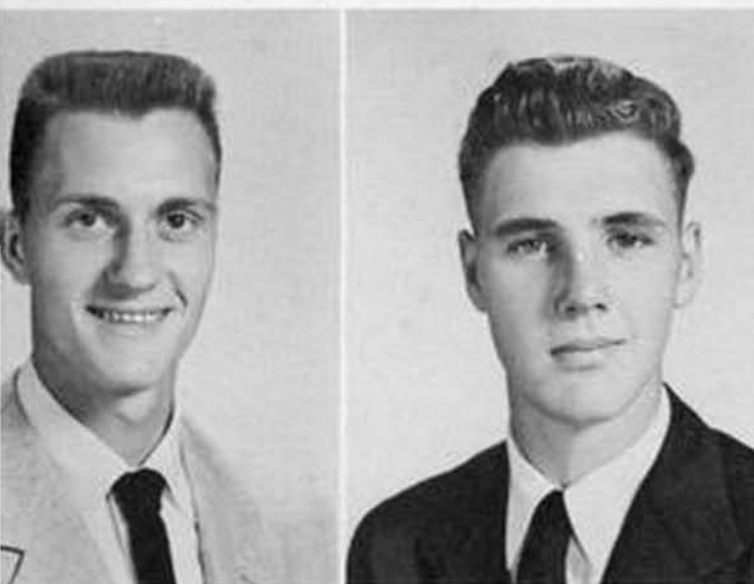
Senior Play.

GARY GRIMES

F. F. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Play.

JANET SHARP GURD  
F. H. A. 1; Junior Play.

RUBY HAMILTON



EUGENE HANNAH

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2; F. F. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Class President 3, 4; Junior Play; Senior Play.

KYLE HAUSE

F. F. A. 1, 2, 3; Football 2; National Honor Society 3, 4; Marlintonian Staff 4; Junior Play.

DON HILL

Douglas High School, Huntington, W. Va.-  
Baseball; Marlinton High School- Football  
3, 4; Baseball 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4.

MARVIN HILL

F. F. A. 1, 2; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H 1, 2, 3,  
4.



# SENIORS

## ALBERT JACKSON

F. F. A. 1, 2; National Honor Society 3, 4;  
Senior Play.

## CREOLA JACKSON

Clearview High School, Lorain, Ohio- F. H.  
A. 1; Chorus 1; Marlinton High- Basketball  
2, 3, 4; Chorus 2, 3; Junior Play, Senior  
Play.



## ROBERT KELLEY

F. F. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; F. F. A. Dreamboat.

## SAUNDRA KERSHNER

4-H 1, 2, 3; F. H. A. 1, 2; Chorus 1.

## DON KINER

4-H 1, 2, 3, 4; F. F. A. 1, 2, 3, 4.

## SHIRLEY MALCOM

Basketball 1, 2, 3; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4;  
Chorus 1, 2, 3; 4-H 1; Senior Play.



## HELEN MOORE

A. D. D.'s 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Nat-  
ional Thespians 3; Copperhead Staff 4;  
Marlintonian Staff 4; Junior Play; Senior  
Play.

## JACK MORRISON

Football 1, 2, 3; Senior Play.



## SENIORS

KEITH MOUSER

Buckhannon Upshur High School- Pep Club  
1, 2; Garden Club 1, 2.

JIMMIE McCLOUD

Junior Play; Basketball 3.

STERLE McELWEE

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Marlintonian Staff 4; National Thespians 3; Class President 2; Class Treasurer 3; Class Vice President 4; Junior Play; Senior Play.

DREAMA McNELLAN

F. H. A. 3, 4; Chorus 3; Head Majorette 4;



GENE PRYOR

Football 3; Band 1, 2; National Honor Society 4; National Thespians 4; Junior Play; Senior Play.

OREANA SCOTT

F.H.A. 2, 3, 4; Marlintonian Staff 4; Copperhead Staff 3, 4; National Honor Society 3, 4; National Thespians.

CHARLOTTE SHARP

Junior Play.

JO ANN SHIELDS





# SENIORS

## MILFORD SHIFFLETT

Football 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Baseball 1, 2, 3; Attendant to Football King 2, 4; Junior Play; Senior Play.

## LETCHER SIMMONS

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2; Football Manager 1; National Thespians 4; Senior Play.



## NORMAN SMITH

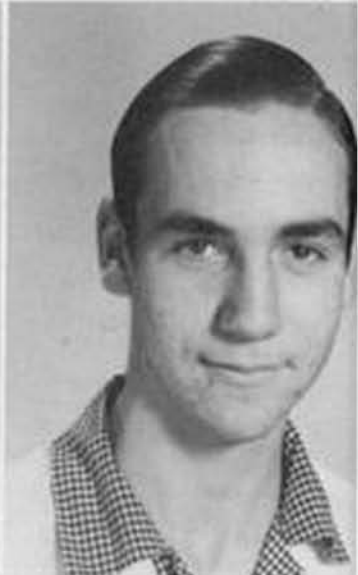
F. F. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H 1, 2; Junior Play.

## EUGENE STEWART

Douglas High School, Huntington, W. Va.- Class President 1, 2; Member of Junior Red Cross; Marlinton High School- Basketball 3; Junior Guide.

PAT SWECKER  
F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4.

EUGENE STUART  
Basketball 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4.



CAROLYN UNDERWOOD  
F. H. A. 2, 3, 4; Junior Play; Senior Play; National Thespians 4.

JOY UNDERWOOD  
Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4.





## SENIORS

### JUNE VANDEVENDER

F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H 1, 2, 3, 4.

### MARY JANE VANDEVENDER

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; A.D.D. 3, 4; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Class President 1; Delegate to Camp Horseshoe 3; Basketball Attendant 1, 2; Copperhead Staff 4; National Honor Society 3, 4; Marlintonian 4; Junior Play; Senior Play; Football Queen 4.

### NORVAL WAUGH

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; National Honor Society 3, 4; Marlintonian Staff 4; Junior Play; Senior Play; Delegate to Camp Horseshoe 3; Class Secretary & Treasurer 1, 2; Class Secretary 3, 4; Magazine Business Manager 4.



### TOMMY DUNBRACK Post Graduate

### PAT DIXON Post Graduate

### MRS. ROSEMARY COYNER Senior Class Sponsor

### MR. CHARLES E. McELWEE Senior Class Sponsor





**MOST TALENTED**  
Carolyn Curry  
Sterl McElwee



**MR. AND MISS  
MARLINTON HIGH SCHOOL**  
Eugene Hannah  
Mary Jane VanDevender



**FRIENDLIEST**  
Dreama McNellan  
Kyle Hause

**MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED**  
Carolyn Curry  
Kyle Hause

## OUT STANDING

**MOST ATHLETIC**  
Mildred Burr  
Joy Underwood

**MOST ORIGINAL**  
Oreana Scott  
Albert Jackson

**MOST TYPICAL SENIORS**  
Cora Auldridge  
Eugene Hannah







**MOST ATTRACTIVE**  
Lucy Combs  
Norval Waugh



**MOST INTELLECTUAL**  
Carolyn Curry  
Eugene Stewart



**HAPPY-GO-LUCKY**  
Carolyn Underwood  
Letcher Simmons

## MOMENTS

**MOST POPULAR**  
Mary Jane VanDevender  
Eugene Hannah



**BEST PERSONALITY**  
Wanda Defibaugh  
Eugene Hannah



**MOST DEPENDABLE**  
Nancy Gay  
Norval Waugh



**MOST HUMOROUS**  
Nancy Gay  
Letcher Simmons



## CLASS HISTORY

Let us pause now and take time out for contemplation; put on your tinted specks; relax while we review our happy "Moments to Remember."

1953--a new era in our life, as we, 77 unsuspecting aspirants for higher education, (freshmen to you) assembled for the first time together. Many of us chased moon beams for days. Eventually, we emerged from our cobweb environment and began to realize that school was not just hop-scotch and marble tournaments. We were no longer without identity; we became class conscious; developed school spirit --oh yes, we were the freshman class of 1953; we had work to do; we needed organization--so we chose Mary Jane VanDevender, Nancy Gay, and Norval Waugh, as our representatives.

Bolstering our crushed spirits following sophomore insubordination, were our sponsors--Mr. White and Mrs. Bell.

Following a brief interlude during which we grew in mental stature, 71 in number and no longer unsuspecting, we returned for our sophomore year. Disorganization was our theme--we were in school for a purpose and everyday changed the purpose--what else were teachers for?? It was handy to have an underclassman to tramp on occasionally. When the juniors tried to edge in with a word of caution, we called them "big-headed". Trying to push our work on someone, we elected Sterl McElwee, Margaret Eubank, and Norval Waugh.

If you have read this far, stay with us. The summer of '54 may be regarded as a period of transition for us. We returned, 60 in number, sadder, but wiser, realizing we had but two years left. In that time, statistics would prove our worth. For the

first time we acquired a sincere approach. We gave thought to classmate's individual ideas and suggestions, realizing that we were all but a part of the group--we were learning respect. We planned our activities carefully through the leadership of Eugene Hannah, Mary VanDevender, Sterl McElwee, and Norval Waugh. Activities that included our Christmas "sock hop", basketball homecoming, the junior play, and foremost of all our junior-senior banquet and prom, which shall always be one of our special "Moments to Remember."

It is the fall of '55, we returned now as "sophisticated seniors", feeling quite mature. Realizing that our happy days were ending, we resolved to make each one a worth-while memory. Not for us the carefree manner of the freshman or the insolent arrogance of the sophomore--without hesitation, we worked on this, our last year. We developed a program of diversified activity, knowing that in such a one, more classmates would participate. We asked Eugene Hannah, Sterl McElwee, Norval Waugh, and Barbara Burr to help us plan our year's events. And now as we look back in retrospection, it has been a full and happy year--beginning with Football under Lights--Homecoming--"Anybody meet a body?"--What body?--Why of course the senior play in December--Honor Society Initiation--Christmas Concerts--Semesters (our last)--Basketball Tournament--Polio Drive (the seniors reached the \$125 mark for the first time)--Marlintonian deadline--Easter Vacation--our really Final Finals--Class Night--Commencement Sermon--Graduation.

We, now, know that these four years have been pleasant memories and will be our "MOMENTS TO REMEMBER."

WE REMEMBER



UNDERCLASSMEN





## JUNIOR CLASS OFFICERS

Left to Right---Dwain Wilcox, Vice President--Tom Burns, President--Kelley Mason, Treasurer--Jane Seagraves, Reporter--Marilyn Harper, Secretary.



## SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS

Bill Hockenberry, President--Margaret Johnson, Reporter--Lockie Moore, Treasurer--Beverly Nottingham, Secretary--Jimmie Mason, Vice President.



## FRESHMAN CLASS OFFICERS

Left to Right--Barbara Jackson, Reporter--Joan Yoho, Secretary--Pam Smith, Treasurer--Bill Clarkson, President--Ronald McCarty, Vice President.



## EIGHTH GRADE CLASS OFFICERS

Mack Copeland, Treasurer--Becky Wimer, President--Trudy Workman, Secretary--Sharon Yoho, Vice President--Frances Harper, Reporter.



## SEVENTH GRADE CLASS OFFICERS

# JUNIORS

Miss Madge Shiffler  
Mr. Francis McElwee



Eddie Albaugh  
Jimmie Baxter  
Lewis Beale  
Hertha Beverage  
Barbara Brummage



Loy Burgess  
Tom Burns  
Gail Bussard  
Tommy Campbell  
William Clendenen



Robert Cross  
Gay Dean  
Sterl Dean  
Nancy Defibaugh  
Ronnie Evans

Winfred Fertig  
Clifton Friel  
Ernie Friel  
Kyle Friel  
Nancy Friel



Leroy Friel  
Carolyn Gibson  
Gatha Gibson  
William Gilmore  
Sharon Gladwell



Shirley Goldizen  
Juanita Greene  
Marilyn Harper





# JUNIORS

Allen Hefner  
Joyce Jackson  
Richard Jordon  
Thelma Jordon  
Sylvia Kelley



Richard Kramer  
Delmar Lane  
Keith Mace  
Kelley Mason  
Tommy May



Hazel McChesney  
Nancy McCloud  
Fay Moore  
Dotty Mullens  
Tommy Peacock



Jane Seagraves  
Pat Sharp  
Ruth Sharp  
Ernie Shaw  
John Shelton



Jack Shields  
Danny Shifflett  
Jerry Thomas  
Don VanReenan  
Wilma Wanless



Donald Ware  
Lewis Waugh  
Dwain Wilcox  
Cloay Workman



# SOPHOMORES



Mr. Brill  
Mrs. Currence  
Mrs. Moore



Harold Alderman  
Delores Anderson  
Pat Arbogast  
Dorothy Auldrige  
Brooks Barnett



Dale Biller  
Norma Broyles  
Larry Burns  
Ann Buzzard  
Linda Clutter



Danny Cooper  
Louise Currence  
Annas Friel  
Carolyn Friel  
Eleanor Friel

Kerth Friel  
Wanda Friel  
William Gay  
Larry Gibson  
Roy Gibson



Naomi Grimes  
Eleanor Hannah  
Constance Herold  
William Hockenberry  
Margaret Johnson



Verna Krause  
Louise Landis  
Barbara Lovelace  
James Mason  
Lawrence Miller



Roberta Miller  
Gerald Morrison  
Lockhart Moore  
Granville McCarty  
Carl McComb



# SOPHOMORES

Dortha McGinnis  
James McGraw  
Robert McKenney  
Kay McLaughlin  
Saundra McNellan



Alice Nelson  
Beverly Nottingham  
Burton Noonan  
Barbara Palmer  
Mary Ellen Peacock



Hubert Perry  
Stella Piotroski  
Wanda Powers  
Tucker Reynolds  
Phyllis Rucker



Anna Betty Sharp  
Delores Sharp  
John Sharp  
Judy Sharp  
Margaret Sharp



Tom Sharp  
David Shaw  
Sandra Shelton  
Paul Shifflett  
James Simmons



Vonda Smith  
Wynona Sparks  
Carol Tallman  
Darel Underwood  
Eugene Underwood



Shelby Underwood  
Helen Wanless  
Ann Waugh



# FRESHMEN



Mrs. Killingsworth  
Mr. McMann  
Mr. Wooddell



Brenda Anderson  
Margaret Baxter  
Mary Lou Bussard  
Basil Cain  
Donald Carr



Mary Circosta  
William Clarkson  
Wayne Cromer  
Richard Dean  
Shirley Defibaugh



Geraldine Dilley  
Martha Doyle  
Douglas Dunbrack  
Billy Friel  
Herbert Friel

Nadine Friel  
Harvey Galford  
Janice Galford  
Linda Goldizen  
Alan Hamilton



Kenneth Hannah  
Sharon Hannah  
Juanita Hiner  
Barbara Jackson  
Nancy Jones



Layton Jordon  
Sharon Kelley  
Tom Kennedy  
Phyllis Lane  
Julia Ann Lockridge



Robert Mann  
Ann Mason  
Dorothy McCarty  
Jane McCarty  
Ronald McCarty



# FRESHMEN

Lonnie McLaughlin  
Lois McMillion  
Danny Milam  
Marie Mitchell  
Peggy Moore



Stephany Morgan  
Mike Moses  
Patty Parsons  
James Pennybacker  
Norval Pifer



Don Pryor  
Verle Piles  
Patricia Rucker  
John Sheaver  
Sue Seaton



Brenda Sharp  
Grace Sharp  
Jane Sharp  
William Shelton  
Carlton Shinaberry



George Shinaberry  
Patricia Simmons  
Pam Smith  
Willard Smith  
Sally Stewart



Lester Swecker  
Robert Terry  
Nancy Townsend  
George Tyler  
Wilbert VanMeter



Barbara VanReenan  
Grenetta VanReenan  
Phyllis Weatherholt  
Richard Whiting  
James Wilfong



Arnout Yeager  
Joanne Yoho

# EIGHTH GRADE

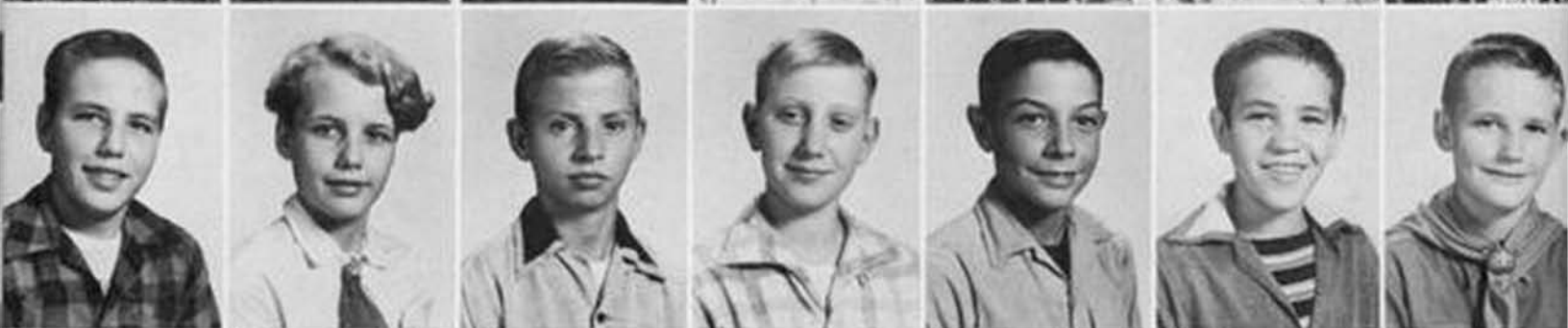




# EIGHTH GRADE



SEVENTH



GRADE





# SEVENTH GRADE





## SHORTHAND II

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## CHEMISTRY

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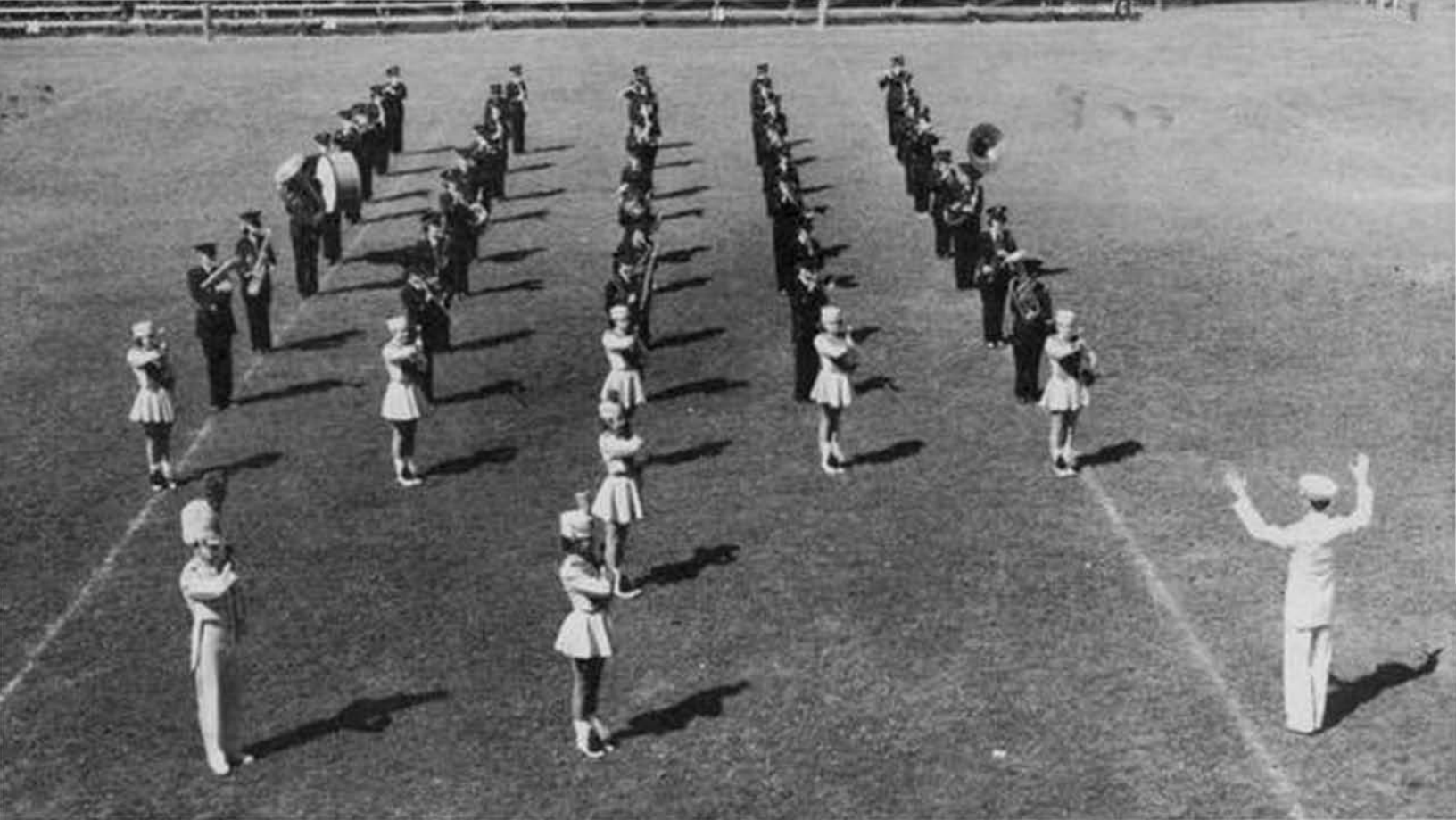
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## LIBRARY SCIENCE

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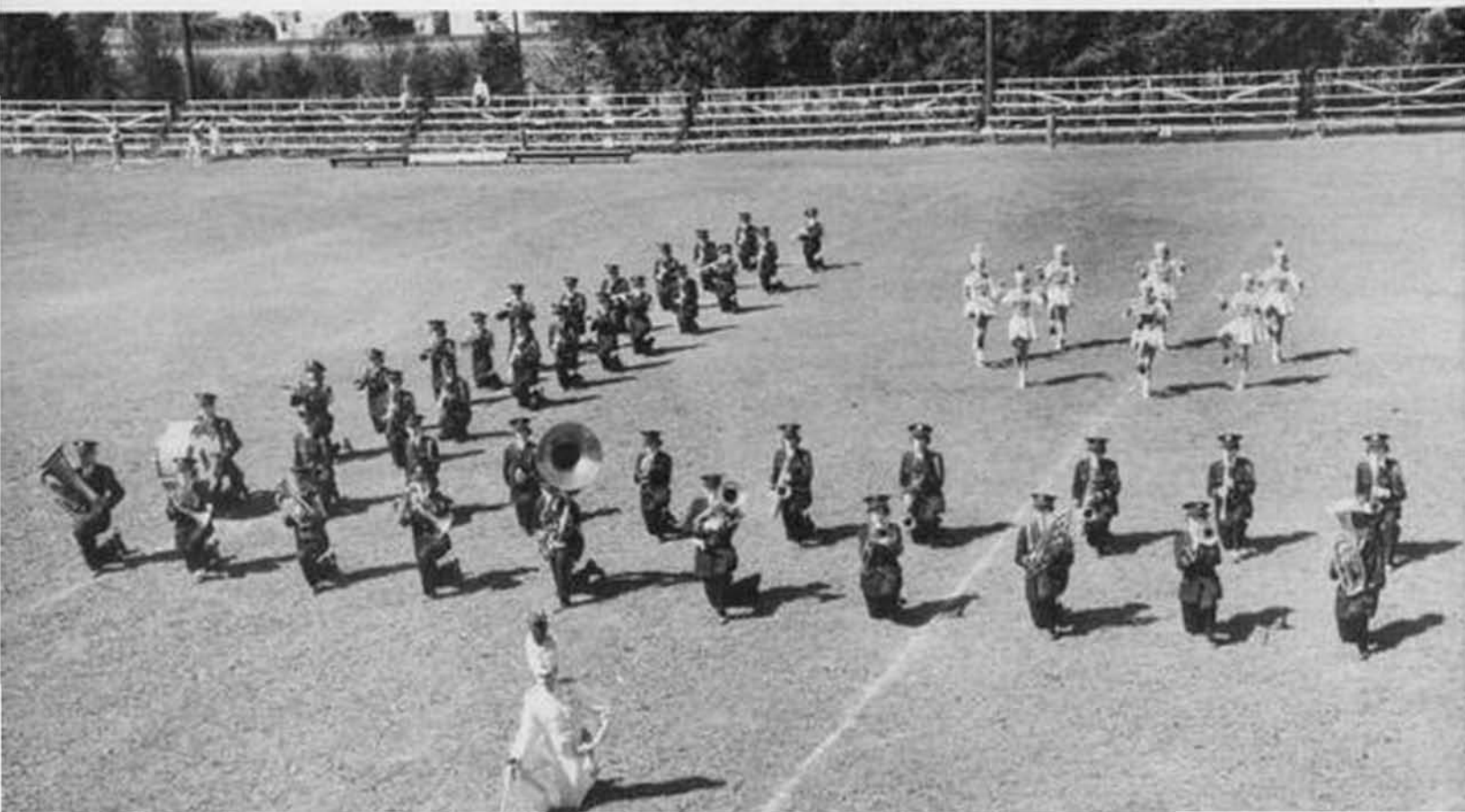






## BAND

Our first county band camp in August '55 started our years activities. We performed at the county fair, we marched in the Forest Festival parade, presented the half-time entertainment for the athletic program and completed the year with our Christmas Polio Benefit and Spring Concerts.





## CHORUS

The Christmas Cantata, Spring Concert, and graduation music highlight the program of the high school chorus.



Left to Right, First Row---Miller, Peacock, Greene, Dean, Astin, Sparks, N. Defibaugh, Jackson, Barnett, Stewart, V. VanReenan, Small. Second Row---McChesney, Buckland. Third Row---S. Defibaugh, W. Defibaugh, Grimes, Aldridge, Harper, Weatherholt, Buzzard, Lovelace, Lockridge, Galford, G. VanReenan, B. VanReenan, Wanless. Seated--Miss May.



## FUTURE HOMEMAKERS

Left to Right, 1st Row- Lockridge, Dunbrack, R. Sharp, W. Defibaugh, B. VanReenan, Ratliff, Green, L. Goldizen, G. Sharp, B. Anderson, Townsend. 2nd Row- Dilley, G. VanReenan, Malcom, D. McNellan, Miller, Broyles, A. Bussard, Mullens, Mason, C. Friel, B. Sharp, J. Sharp, S. Defibaugh, Yoho. 3rd Row- Rucker, Gibson, Krauss, M. Bussard, Kelley, Barnette, Carpenter, P. Rucker, S. Hannah, Clutter, Powers, A. Sharp, S. McNellan. 4th Row- Johnson, Hannah, Harper, Mrs. Killingsworth, C. Gibson, Sparks, Morgan, Lovelace, Combs, Scott, Burr, Seaton, McLaughlin, Jackson, Herold, Weiford, Arbogast, G. Shelton, Wanless, Kelley, M. Sharp, Currence, Astin, Grimes, W. Friel, Davis, H. Moore, Seagraves, M. VanDevender. 5th Row- Brummage, P. Sharp, Swecker, S. Shelton, J. VanDevender, Underwood, Jordan, Workman, Nottingham, Doyle, Gay, Weatherholt, Piotroski, L. Moore.



CHAPTER SWEETHEART  
Mary Evelyn Peacock

The Future Homemakers of America is the National Organization of pupils studying Homemaking in Junior and Senior High Schools of the United States and Territories. The Organization is interested in working toward better homes and family living and in providing opportunities in solving problems important to home life.

The Marlinton Chapter of F. H. A. was installed in 1948 with twelve members. The present chapter has 87 members. It sponsors the State Youth Camp--World Christmas Festival, and participates in other local activities.







## FUTURE FARMERS

Left to Right, First Row---B. McKenney, K. Hause, J. Shelton, R. Kelley, J. Simmons, D. Ware. Second Row---H. Dumire, J. Shaver, L. Jordon, H. Galford, G. Shinaberry, J. Wilfong, R. Whitting, L. McLaughlin, B. Barnett, G. McCarty, B. Shelton, E. Underwood, T. Reynolds. Third Row---N. Smith, C. Shinaberry, B. Cain, T. Kennedy, D. Carr, R. Dean, B. Friel, D. Dilley, G. Tyler, A. Hamilton, R. Mann, B. Gay, R. McCarty, D. Underwood, B. Noonan. Fourth Row---A. Dean, L. Beale, R. Friel, D. Kiner, J. Shields, E. Hannah, B. Barlow, G. Underwood, K. Hannah, T. Campbell, L. Swecker, G. Grimes, K. Friel.

Courses in vocational agriculture under the National Vocational Act were established in 1907. The Marlinton Chapter of the FFA was established in 1947. It now has 56 members.

The officers are: President, Kyle Hause--Vice President, James Simmons--Secretary, John Shelton--Treasurer, Robert Kelley--Sentinel, Bob McKenny--Reporter, Don Ware.



STAR FARMER  
Don Kiner



## "MEET A BODY"



Our senior play was better than ever this year--furnishing more blood chilling acts, and even a real casket. It shall remain foremost in our memories.



"Shall we reconstruct the death scene?"



"It was hard work, but for the fun, it was worth it."

### CHARACTERS

First Row: Carolyn Curry, Carolyn Underwood, Nancy Gay, Neva Davis, Creola Jackson. Sec-



**SOPHOMORES:**  
Margaret Johnson  
Louise Currence  
Beverly Nottingham  
Lockie Moore  
Sharon Gladwell  
Eleanor Hannah

Organized in 1933, this group stresses service to the athletic department as a part of a "diversified program." . . . Selling tickets, candy, and cokes at home games . . . soliciting ads for athletic events . . . preparing hot chocolate and sandwiches for visiting teams and guests . . . serving in community drives . . . last, but not least, operating that famous "sweet stop" the "M. H. S. Doghouse" . . . the members serve with a smile.



**JUNIORS:**  
Marilyn Harper  
Polly Astin  
Dotty Mullens  
Jane Ellen Seagraves

**SENIORS:**  
Mary Jane VanDevender  
Helen Moore  
Carolyn Curry  
Nancy Gay



# UNITED CHRISTIAN YOUTH WEEK

## PROGRAM DIRECTORS



Pat Dixon



Sterl McElwee



Carolyn Curry

With our theme, "Citizenship In Christ"--we observed Christian Youth Week--January 30--February 3. Presenting the programs in a series of three assemblies--as "Becoming Citizens", "Problems of Citizens", and "Privileges as Citizens", we included as speakers for each program--a student, a member of the faculty, and a local minister.



Others participating were: Pat Sharp, Ernie Shaw, Hazel McChesney, Sharon Gladwell, Kelley Mason, Joan Yoho, Jane Seagraves, and Beverly Nottingham. The members of the ministerial association were: Rev. C. A. Yoho, Rev. A. U. Burnside, and Rev. E. H. Flaniken.

## SPEAKERS



Nancy Gay

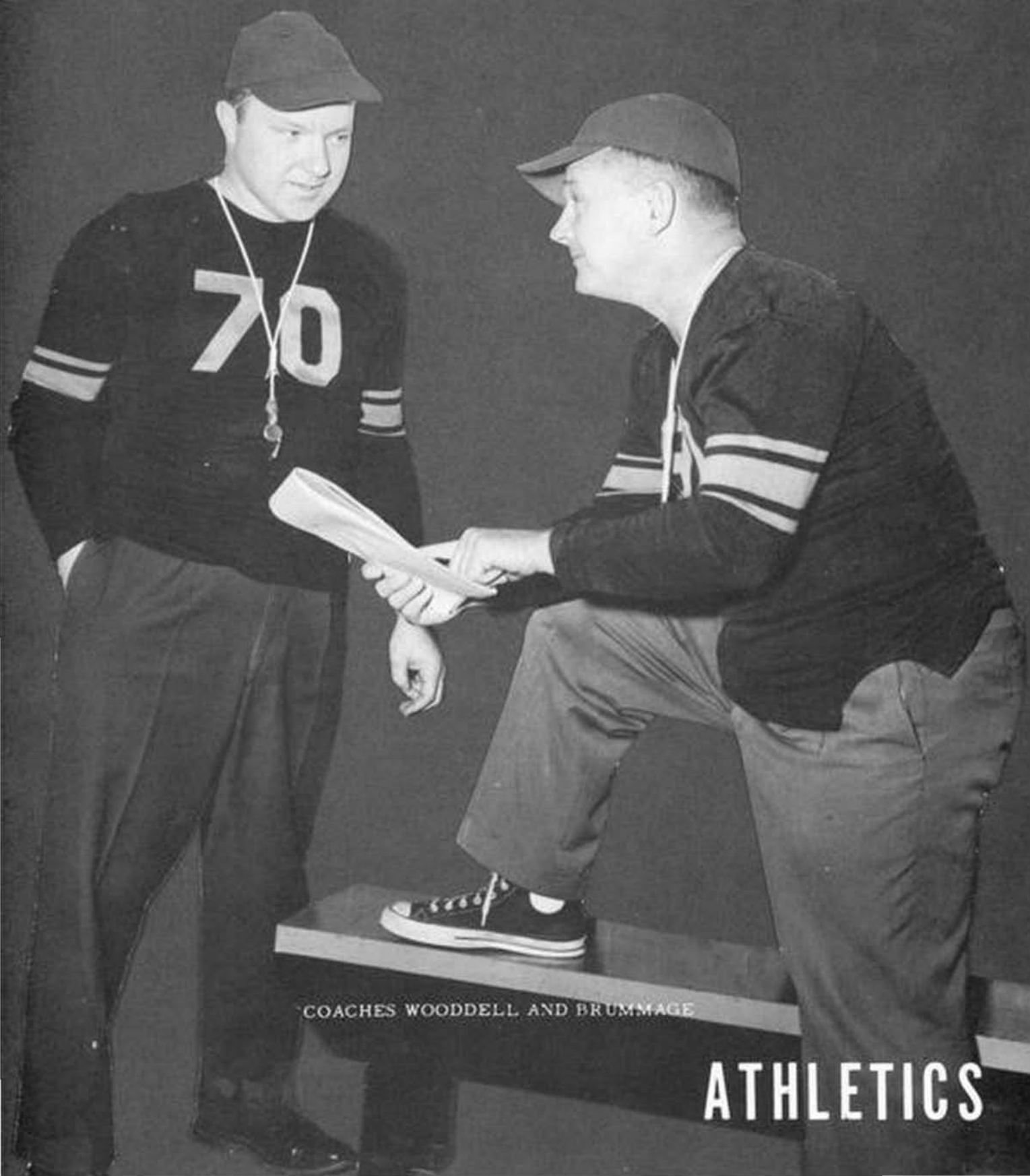


John Shelton



Nancy Defibaugh

WE REMEMBER



COACHES WOODDELL AND BRUMMAGE

ATHLETICS



## FOOTBALL SQUAD

First Row---Hill, Burns. Second Row---Pryor-Manager, D. Shaw, Dean, Sharp, Yeager, Cooper, Hockenberry, Gay, Wilcox, Clarkson-Manager. Third Row---Coach Brummage, L. Burns, C. Friel, K. Friel, Perry, Bussard, E. Friel, VanReenan, McGraw, E. Shaw, Pifer, Mason-Manager. Fourth Row---Dilley, Underwood, Gibson, Albaugh, Gilmore, Shafer, Evans, Tyler, L. Friel.

## FOOTBALL SCORES

### Marlinton

34  
12  
35  
39  
6  
13  
39  
0  
42

### Date:

Sept. 9  
Sept. 16  
Sept. 23  
Sept. 30  
Oct. 7  
Oct. 14  
Oct. 22  
Oct. 29  
Nov. 4

### Opposing Teams:

Franklin  
Webster Springs  
Hillsboro  
Lewisburg  
White Sulphur  
Cowen  
Crichton  
Greenbank  
Ronceverte

### Scores

6  
19  
0  
14  
13  
26  
12  
Forfeit 1  
7

### FIRST TEAM

Left to Right---B. Gilmore, P. Shafer, T. Burns, E. Friel, R. Evans. Back Row---E. Shaw, J. Underwood, D. VanReenan, D. Hill.







## JUNIOR HIGH FOOTBALL

Left to Right, First Row---Bill Shifflett, Butch Michael, James Gary, Chuck Dilley, Steve Malcolm, Harold Reed, Billy Defibaugh. Second Row---Richard Barlow, Bob Barlow, Tom Sharp, Arnold Jackson, Bob Hockenberry, Arnold Shinnaberry, Louis Buzzard, Julian Curso. Third Row---Jim Yeager-Manager, Bob Miller, Bert Smith, Butch Curry, Jim McComb, Danny Gilmore, Alonzo Dean, Saford Hammons, Coach Mulheren.

## JUNIOR HIGH BASKETBALL

Left to Right, First Row---Mack Copeland, Jim McComb, Bob Hockenberry, Louis Buzzard, Paul Cross, Wallace Burgess. Second Row---Chuck Dilley, Don Morgan, Coach Mulheren, Bert Smith, Butch Michael.





## ENTIRE SQUAD

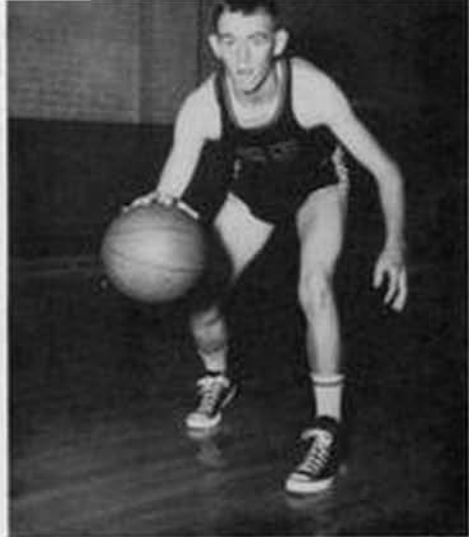
Left to Right---Coach Brummage. First Row---Van Reenan, Shelton, Shaw, Cooper, Sharp, Friel, McGraw. Second Row---Hill, Hannah, Waugh, Evans. Third Row---Dilley, Stuart, T. Burns, Hockenberry, Mason, Jackson, L. Burns, Underwood, Simmons.



Clockwise:  
Hill  
Stuart  
Simmons

SENIOR  
PLAYERS

Hannah  
Waugh  
Underwood



forward *Hillsboro Five* Tom Burns, Forward

## Marathon Goes Down To Defeat

**Eugene Hannah, Guar**

MARLINTON DOWNS  
HILLSBORO ELEVEN

Norval Waugh, Guard







## FOOTBALL KING AND QUEEN

JOY UNDERWOOD --- MARY JANE VANDEVENDER

## M.H.S. CHEERLEADERS

Left to Right---Janie Sharp, Barbara Brummage, Pat Sharp-Head Cheerleader, Lockie Moore.

